



GRANT RECIPIENT
TOWN OF OGDEN DUNES

YEAR
2007

COUNTY
PORTER

CATEGORY
LOW COST CONSTRUCTION

GRANT AWARD
\$15,700

LOCAL SHARE
\$15,700

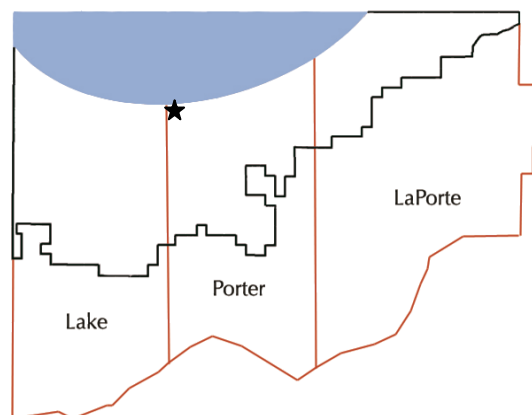


Long Lake Marsh Restoration

Long Lake, located between the Town of Ogden Dunes and Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore West Beach drains the southern portion of the town and is also a haven for wildlife. The portion of Long Lake maintained by Ogden Dunes is a 1.5-acre finger of the lake that exists in the West Beach unit of the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore. Unfortunately, this marsh has been degraded by residential development, stormwater run-off, and invasive species such as Loosestrife and aggressive cattails. This project's purpose was to enhance the habitat and ecosystem of Long Lake Marsh. A variety of methods were used to create a more biologically diverse and productive habitat that would allow the marsh to continue to provide important environmental services in the future.



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RESULT: Reduced invasive species and created a more biologically diverse and productive lake habitat.